# TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

(Tuesday, February 21, 1967)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin Herring Hightower Bates Bernal Jordan Berry Kennard Blanchard Mauzy Brooks Moore Parkhouse Christie Patman Cole Reagan Connally Schwartz Creighton Strong Grover Watson Hall Wilson Hardeman Word Harrington Hazlewood

#### Absent-Excused

Ratliff

Wade

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

# Leaves of Absence

Senator Wade was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Hightower.

Senator Ratliff was granted leave of absence for today on account of illness on motion of Senator Hardeman.

## Resolutions Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the captions had been read, the following enrolled resolutions:

- S. C. R. No. 23, Commending Joe McDonald and "Burr" Davis, coaches at St. Thomas High School.
- S. C. R. No. 24, Commending Mrs. Hilda B. Weinert for her services to the Texas Democratic Party and authorizing the acceptance of a portrait.

H. C. R. No. 32, Expressing appreciation to Clark W. Thompson for his unselfish service in the National Congress.

# Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Parkhouse submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred S. B. No. 92, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred S. B. No. 254, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred S. B. No. 256, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred S. B. No. 263, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Senator Hardeman submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to which was referred S. B. No. 63, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HARDEMAN, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to which was referred S. B. No. 5, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HARDEMAN, Chairman.

Senator Watson submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred S. B. No. 166, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WATSON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred S. B. No. 199, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

WATSON, Chairman.

Senator Word submitted the following report for Senator Hall:

> Austin, Texas, February 20, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on

Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred S. B. No. 190, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended, and be printed.

HALL, Chairman

# Senate Bills on First Reading

The following bills were introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

By Senators Herring, Creighton, Brooks, Jordan, Mauzy and Parkhouse:

S. B. No. 274, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System to acquire by purchase, exchange, gift or otherwise certain properties to be used for campus expansion and University purposes in The University of Texas System; vesting title in the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Parkhouse:

S. B. No. 275, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to permissible abortions; amending Article 1196, Penal Code of Texas, 1925; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Brooks:

S. B. No. 276, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to raising the bond payable by the justice of the peace to the county judge; amending Article 2373, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

By Senator Brooks:

S. B. No. 277, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to clerks and deputy clerks of justice courts, their appointment, bond, oath, salary, and duties; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

By Senator Bernal:

S. B. No. 278, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Senate Bill No. 36, Page 544, General Laws of the State of Texas, Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session, 1939, as amended by House Bill No. 611,

Chapter 562, Page 914, General and Special Laws of the State of Texas, Forty-seventh Legislature, Regular Session, 1941, as amended, which is codified as Article 695c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, by amending Subsections (1) and (3) of Section 12, Subitem 4 of Subsection (1) of Section 16-B, Subsection (2) of Section 17, and Subsections (2) and (3) of Section 20 of said Article; amending Section 41 of said Article; lowering the age from twenty-one (21) to and Special Laws of the State of eighteen (18) for applicants for Aid Texas, Forty-seventh Legislature, to the Blind; amending the residence requirements for applicants for Aid to the Blind, Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, and Old Age Assistance; authorizing Old Age Assistance payments to noncitizens who have resided within the boundaries of the United States for at least twentyfive (25) years; authorizing Medical Assistance to recipients outside the State on a temporary basis; fixing an effective date of assistance grants; providing a repealing clause, a savings clause, and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

# By Senator Bernal:

S. B. No. 279, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Senate Bill No. 36, Page 544, General Laws of the State of Texas, Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session, 1939, as amended by House Bill No. 611, Chapter 562, Page 914, General and Special Laws of the State of Texas, Forty-seventh Legislature, Regular Session, 1941, as amended, which is codified as Article 695c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, by amending Subsection (3) of Section 12, Subitem 4 of Subsection (1) of Section 16-B, Subsection (2) of Section 17, and Subsections (2) and (3) of Section 20 of said Article; amending Section 41 of said Article; amending the residence requirements for applicants for Aid to the Blind, Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, and Old Age Assistance; authorizing Old Age Assistance payments to noncitizens who have resided within the boundaries of the United States for at least twenty-five (25) years; authorizing Medical Assistance to recipients outside the State on a temporary basis; fixing an effective date of assistance grants; providing a repeal-

ing clause, a savings clause, and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

## By Senator Bernal:

S. B. No. 280, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Senate Bill No. 36, Page 544, General Laws of the State of Texas, Acts of the Fortysixth Legislature, Regular Session, 1939, as amended by House Bill No. 611, Chapter 562, Page 914, General and Special Laws of the State of Regular Session, 1941, as amended, which is codified as Article 695c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, by amending Subsection (1) of Section 12 of said Article; amending the age requirement for applicants of Aid to the Blind; fixing an effective date of assistance grants; providing a repealing clause, a savings clause, and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Jurisprudence.

# By Senator Hightower:

S. B. No. 281, A bill to be entitled "An Act adding district attorneys to the classes of persons who may become members of the State Employees Retirement System; amending Paragraph 1, Subsection B, Section 3, Chapter 352, Acts of the 50th Legislature, 1947, as amended (Article 6228a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes); and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Departments and Institutions.

# Senate Concurrent Resolution 19 on Second Reading

Senator Cole moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. C. R. No. 19 be taken up for consideration at this

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

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Blanchard H. Brooks H. Christie H. Cole Jo Connally K.	

Moore Parkhouse Patman Reagan Schwartz

Strong Watson Wilson Word

Absent—Excused

## Ratliff

Wade

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 19, Granting Walter G. Schwarz permission to sue the state.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

## Senate Bill 153 on Second Reading

Senator Hightower moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 153 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

Aikin	Herring
Bates	Hightower
Bernal	Jordan
Berry	Kennard
Blanchard	Mauzy
Brooks	Moore
Christie	Parkhouse
Cole	Patman
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Watson
Hardeman	Wilson
Harrington	Word
Hazlewood	

Absent-Excused

# Ratliff

Wade

The President laid laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 153, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 3, Chapter 332, Acts of the 53rd Legislature, Regular Session, 1953 (Article 165a-10, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), relating to bonds, accounts, and record-keeping of Soil and Water Conservation Districts; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read the second time.

Senator Hightower offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 153 by adding at the end of Section 2 the following, to-wit:

", and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

On motion of Senator Hightower and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

# Senate Bill 153 on Third Reading

Senator Hightower moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 153 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas-29

Aikin	Herring
Bates	Hightower
Bernal	Jordan
Berry	Kennard
Blanchard	Mauzy
Brooks	Moore
Christie	Parkhouse
Cole	Patman
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Watson
Hardeman	Wilson
Harrington	Word
Hazlewood	

Absent—Excused

## Ratliff

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The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

Aikin Bates Bernal Berry Blanchard Jordan Brooks Kennard Christie Mauzy Cole MooreConnally Parkhouse Creighton Patman Grover Reagan Schwartz Hall Hardeman Strong Watson Harrington Hazlewood  $\mathbf{Wilson}$ Herring Word Hightower

Absent-Excused

Ratliff

Wade

# Senate Bill 152 on Second Reading

Senator Hightower moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 152 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—29

Aikin Herring Bates Hightower Bernal Jordan Berry Kennard Blanchard Mauzy Brooks Moore Parkhouse Christie Cole Patman Reagan Connally Creighton Schwartz Grover Strong Hall Watson Hardeman Wilson Harrington Word Hazlewood

# Absent-Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 152, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of supervisor of Soil and Water Conservation Districts and the manner of changing the boundaries of such districts; amending Sections 5 and 6, Chapter 3, page 7, General Laws, Acts of the 46th Legislature, 1939, as amended (Article 165a-4, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes); and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read the second time.

Senator Hightower offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 152 by adding at the end of Section 3 the following, to-wit:

", and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

On motion of Senator Hightower and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

## Senate Bill 152 on Third Reading

Senator Hightower moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 152 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas--29

Aikin	Herring
Bates	Hightower
Bernal	Jordan
Berry	Kennard
Blanchard	Mauzy
Brooks	$\mathbf{Moore}$
Christie	Parkhouse
Cole	Patman
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Watson
Hardeman	Wilson
Harrington	Word
Hazlewood	

## Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

Aikin Bernal Bates Berry

Blanchard Jordan Brooks Kennard Christie Mauzy Cole Moore Connally Parkhouse Creighton Patman Grover Reagan Hall Schwartz Strong Hardeman Harrington Watson Hazlewood Wilson Herring Word Hightower

Absent-Excused

Ratliff

Wade

# Senate Bill 67 on Second Reading

Senator Hightower moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 67 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

Herring
Hightower
Jordan
Kennard
Mauzy
Moore
Parkhouse
Patman
Reagan
Schwartz
Strong
Watson
Wilson
Word

Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 67, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the State Soil and Water Conservation Board to receive and expend moneys for certain projects and programs; providing that the Board may enter into certain agreements and contracts; etc. and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read the second time. Senator Hightower offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 67 by adding at the end of Section 3 the following:

"Provided, that the State Soil and Water Conservation Board shall comply with the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 128, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended, relating to securing permits from the Texas Water Rights Commission for the appropriation and use of public waters of the State."

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

Senator Hightower offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 67 by adding at the end of Section 11 the following, to-wit:

", and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

On motion of Senator Hightower and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

# Senate Bill 67 on Third Reading

Senator Hightower moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 67 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas-29

Aikin Bates Bernal Berry Blanchard Brooks Christie Cole Connally Creighton Grover Hall	Harrington Hazlewood Herring Hightower Jordan Kennard Mauzy Moore Parkhouse Patman Reagan Schwartz
	Schwartz Strong

Watson Wilson Word

Absent-Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas-29

Aikin Herring Bates Hightower Bernal Jordan Kennard Berry Blanchard Mauzv Brooks Moore Christie Parkhouse Cole Patman Connally Reagan Creighton Schwartz Grover Strong Hall Watson Hardeman Wilson Harrington Word Hazlewood

Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

# Motion to Place Senate Bill 147 on Second Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 147 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion was lost by the following vote (not receiving four-fifths vote of the Members of the Senate):

# Yeas-24

Aikin Harrington Bates Herring Hightower Bernal Blanchard Jordan Brooks Mauzy Christie Parkhouse Patman Cole Connally Reagan Creighton Schwartz Grover Watson Wilson Hall Hardeman Word

Nays-4

Berry Moore Kennard Strong Absent

Hazlewood

Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

# Senate Bill 57 on Second Reading

Senator Cole moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 57 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-28

Aikin Herring Bates Hightower Bernal Jordan Berry Kennard Blanchard Mauzy Moore Brooks Christie Parkhouse Cole Patman Connally Reagan Creighton Schwartz Grover Strong Watson Hall Hardeman Wilson Harrington Word

Absent

Hazlewood

Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 57, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 57 of the Texas Probate Code to change the age requirement for a person who may execute a Will from nineteen (19) years of age to eighteen (18) years of age; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

#### Senate Bill 57 on Third Reading

Senator Cole moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 57 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

Aikin Herring Bates Hightower Bernal Jordan Kennard Berry Blanchard Mauzy Brooks Moore Christie Parkhouse Cole Patman Connally Reagan Creighton Schwartz Grover Strong Hall Watson Hardeman Wilson Harrington Word Hazlewood

### Absent-Excused

#### Ratliff

Wade

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

## Senate Bill 223 on Second Reading

Senator Brooks moved that Senate Rules 116, 13, and 38 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 223 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

Aikin	Herring
Bates	Hightower
Bernal	Jordan
Berry	Kennard
Blanchard	Mauzy
Brooks	${f Moore}$
Christie	Parkhouse
Cole	Patman
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Watson
Hardeman	$\mathbf{Wilson}$
Harrington	Word
Hazlewood	

## Absent--Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 223, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and establishing a conservation and reclamation district known as "Spenwick Place Municipal Utility District", of Harris County, Texas, etc., and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

# Senate Bill 223 on Third Reading

Senator Brooks moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 223 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-29

Aikin Bates Bernal Berry Blanchard Brooks Christie Cole	Herring Hightower Jordan Kennard Mauzy Moore Parkhouse Patman Reagan
Cole	Patman
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover Hall	Strong Watson
Hardeman	Wilson
Harrington Hazlewood	Word

## Absent-Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

# Yeas-29

Aikin	Harrington
Bates	Hazlewood
Bernal	Herring
Berry	Hightower
Blanchard	Jordan
Brooks	Kennard
Christie	Mauzy
Cole	$\mathbf{Moore}$
Connally	Parkhouse
Creighton	Patman
Grover	Reagan
Hall	Schwartz
Hardeman	Strong

Watson Wilson Word

Absent-Excused

Ratliff

Wade

# Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives

Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. C. R. No. 36, In memory of Judge Irving Leslie Humphrey.

Respectfully submitted,
DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

# Senate Bill 147 on Second Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rules 116, 13, and 38 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 147 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

# Yeas-25

Harrington
Herring
Hightower
Jordan
Mauzy
Parkhouse
Patman
Reagan
Schwartz
Watson
Wilson
Word
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Nays-3

Kennard Moore

Strong

Absent

Hazlewood

Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to public junior colleges for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1967; amending Article IV, Chapter 720, Acts of the 59th Legislature, Regular Session, 1965; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Kennard offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 147, the printed bill, by striking the words and number on line 35 and line 45 and changing the total sum on line 63 to read \$3,278,610.00.

The amendment was read and failed of adoption.

The bill (S. B. No. 147) was passed to engrossment.

## Senate Bill 147 on Third Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 147 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas-25

Aikin Bates Bernal Berry Blanchard Brooks Christie Cole Connally Creighton Grover Hall	Harrington Herring Hightower Jordan Mauzy Parkhouse Patman Reagan Schwartz Watson Wilson Word
Hardeman	

Nays—4

Hazlewood Kennard

Moore Strong

Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas-25

Aikin Harrington Herring Bates Bernal Hightower Berry Jordan Blanchard Mauzy Parkhouse Brooks Christie Patman Reagan Cole Connally Schwartz Creighton Watson Wilson Grover Word Hall Hardeman

Nays-4

Hazlewood Kennard

Moore Strong

Absent—Excused

Ratliff

Wade

## Welcome Resolutions

- S. R. No. 144—By Senator Grover: Extending welcome to Memorial West Republican Women's Club of Houston.
- S. R. No. 145—By Senator Connally: Extending welcome to students and teachers of Civics and American History classes of Pleasanton High School.
- S. R. No. 146—By Senator Herring: Extending welcome to fifth grade students of Mathews School of Austin.
- S. R. No. 147—By Senator Grover: Extending welcome to Mrs. Howard Barnstone, member of the Houston School Board, and to Mrs. Idamay President and Dukeminier, members of the Houston Teachers Association.

#### Adjournment

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 11:40 o'clock a.m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

## APPENDIX

#### Report of Standing Committee

Senator Hardeman submitted the following report:

> Austin, Texas, February 21, 1967.

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Sir: We, your Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, to which was referred:

S. B. No. 6, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the creation of the North Central Texas Airport Authority in Dallas and Tarrant Counties, Texas; defining terms; providing for petition and election on the question of the creation of the Authority and authorizing a tax not to exceed Seventy-Five Cents (75¢) on the One Hundred Dollar (\$100.00) assessed valuation; constituting the Authority a body politic and corporate, governmental and public in nature; providing for the organization and meetings of the Board of Directors and the selection and qualifications of the members thereof; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Authority and its Board of Directors, including the power of eminent domain, the power to adopt rules and regulations and to provide penalties for violations thereof, and other powers; providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes; creating a lien for taxes levied; authorizing the issuance of bonds of various types, and prescribing the conditions, terms, and provisions under and pursuant to which the same may be issued, and related matters; declaring such bonds to be free from taxation and to be subject to certain provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code; empowering the Authority to purchase or otherwise acquire airport facilities and authorizing cities to sell or lease the same; providing for the assumption, refunding or payment of the obligations of any city selling an airport facility to the Authority; declaring the bonds to be legally authorized investments for certain institutions; providing for bank depositories; providing for investment or reinvestment of unincumbered funds of the Authority; exempting the property of the Authority from taxation; prohibiting certain conduct of Authority personnel and directors and providing for a penalty therefor; prohibiting the seizure of any of the property of the Authority by execution, garnishment or attachment; providing for the adoption of zoning regulations; providing for the adding of additional counties to the Authority; authorizing municipalities to cooperate and aid Hon. Preston Smith, President of the in the development of airport projects in various respects when such projects will benefit such municipalities; enacting other provisions related to the aforementioned subjects; providing for the primary airport area; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HARDEMAN, Chairman.

Sent to Governor

February 21, 1967

S. C. R. No. 23

S. C. R. No. 24

#### TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

(Wednesday, February 22, 1967)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin Herring Hightower Bates Bernal Jordan Berry Kennard Blanchard Mauzy Brooks Moore Parkhouse Christie Cole Patman Connally Ratliff Creighton Reagan Grover Schwartz Hall Strong Hardeman Watson Harrington Wilson Hazlewood Word

Absent—Excused

# Wade

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

# Leave of Absence

Senator Wade was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Parkhouse.

#### Committee to Escort Senator Tower

The President announced the following committee to escort Senator Tower to the Senate, pursuant to the provisions of S. R. No. 94:

Senators Hardeman, Grover, Bates, Hightower and Bernal.

# House Concurrent Resolution 36 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 36, In memory of Judge Irving Leslie Humphrey.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Senator Hightower and by unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

# Senate Resolution 148

Senator Reagan offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The National Vocational Education Act (the Smith-Hughes Act) of 1917 was signed on February 23, 1917, and

Whereas, This is the 50th Anniversary of Vocational Education in the United States and Texas, and

Whereas, In the changing world of work more and more young people in our schools are becoming aware of the importance of occupational training. Emphasis on providing an adequate force of skilled labor to meet tomorrow's reality is greater than ever, and

Whereas, Within the high schools, the vocational-technical schools, the community colleges, the whole of education itself, a new era has begun—an era in which our rapidly expanding technology will reach into every community and every life, and

Whereas, For all of us, the changing world of work will have great meaning. Vocational educators in the schools of Texas are engaged in the vital task of training our youth and adults for leadership roles and careers in agriculture, distribution and marketing, home economics, office occupation and industry, therefore, be it

Resolved, That attention be called